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MEMORANDUM FOR: National Intelligence Officer for Latin America

Director, Office of African and Latin American Analysis, DI

FROM:

Director of Central Intelligence

SUBJECT:

DCI Briefing of CEOs, State Department, 20 March 1984

- 1. I have to brief a group of large corporation presidents at the State Department on Tuesday on Central America.
- 2. This would be a good opportunity to get Helgerson into developing a comprehensive picture on Central America.
- 3. I will want some maps and charts to display in the State Department Operations Center where the briefing will be held. I want a statement covering the following:
 - Initial US reaction to the Sandinista Government
 - Their response in Salvador
 - Castro and Burnham statements on the first anniversary of Somoza's fall
 - Castro's unification of left-winters in Central American countries in return for his Cuban arms and support
 - Propaganda campaigns projected in meetings in Havana and Mexico City

(Much of the foregoing can be developed from the comprehensive briefing prepared at NSC direction and reluctantly released by the State Department sometime during early 1983.)

- Soviet buildup in Cuba and Cuba's threat to US security
- The Nicaraguan resistance (where it began, where it is, and where it is going can be taken from the statement prepared for delivery to the SSCI last Thursday)



- Salvador
- Honduras
- Costa Rica
- Guatemala
- Mexico
- The future 100,000 Latinos in Cuba, Central America and Mexico the refugee flow Communist governments took over in eastern Europe Cuba Vietnam Afghanistan immigration from Central America and Mexico today legal and illegal
- 4. I would like to meet with you and Helgerson and either Dewey or some-body you would assign today to decide on getting maps and exhibits prepared. I would like a draft to work on over the weekend, perhaps by noon on Saturday.

William J. Casey



DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Washington, D.C. 20520

March 13, 1984

MEMORANDUM FOR: Honorable William Casey

Director

Central Intelligence Agency

Subject: Your Participation in CEO Briefing - March 20

Following up on our brief telephone conversation of yesterday, here is the way things stand for the CEO briefing:

PLACE: State Department Operations Center Conference Room,
7th Floor (as you know, there is a podium for your
use plus three rear projection screens for slides
or film, should you want to use them)

TIME: Your portion of the briefing is from 11:00-11:40am.

OTHER PARTICIPANTS SCHEDULED:

9:45 - Under Secretary Eagleburger - Welcomes

10:00 - 11:00 - Ambassador Langhorne Motley briefs on
US policy in Central America and the
Caribbean, and may touch on Latin
America. Will have at least a 30minute Q&A session. As of now, he will
give a summation of where we stand with
the legislation (a difficult job!)

11:00 - 11:40 - William Casey

11:40 - 12:00 - Geraldine O'Leary de Macias, former Maryknoll Nun from Nicaragua

SUGGESTIONS FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION:

A) I hope that you will spell out the Soviet and Cuban threat in the area. (Tony Motley is deliberately not going to touch on this at all.) If possible, my own personal opinion is that it would be dramatic if you could give an estimate

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of the refugee problem that the Gulf Coast States would be faced with from boat people and others by land should the region come under Communist control.

In the mailgram of invitation, we state that the briefing is off the record. I will be introducing you and the others and I will repeat that clearly. If there's anything in particular you'd like me to highlight in your introduction, please let me know.

- B) The 12:00-12:30 reception will give you time to talk individually with those of your friends and others who are here and want to meet you. Your participation has evoked very nice interest.
 - C) Lunch You will be hosting a table.

Please let me know on the attached list of approximately 30 acceptances to date if there's anyone in particular you'd like seated next to you or on either side.

Gilbert A. Robinson Special Advisor for Public Diplomacy

Attachment:

Guest list